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Men of the Land

Major McKinley's response to J. F Town-

of Massillon, Ohio:-

send of the Railroad Sound Money Club

Mr. Townsend and my fellow cit-

zens: On account of the number

of speeches I have made today and

the great number of people I have

addressed, for I have spoken many

times and to thousands of people,

fellow citizens of Ohio and West

Virginia. You want your money to

be sound, (Applause.) You want

every dollar you have to be as good

as every other dollar. You want

railroad to be paid in money that

is worth one hundred cents to the

dollar. You do not want to be paid

of this party because you believe

that those principles carried into

practical demonstration will be

better for your employment, better

upon what I believe to be for public

make in the United States, which

And when you uphold American

ily for this call and bid you all

good-bye. (Three rousing cheers

In the bituminous coal fields es-

percentage of waste. In many of

the Western markets it is becom-

would raise it to par.

were then given McKinley.)

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most of different occupations, but All of them alike interested in the honor, well being and prosperity of the country, I ask your consideration if I do not speak at great length now. (Applause.) I am country in a direct consideration of the property length now. (Applause.) I am country men of the wheeling & Lake Eric Railway, men of the wheeling & Lake Eric Railway, and the speak at great length now. (Applause.) I am country occupying this space.

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SOMETHING WORTH KNOWING.

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(Cries of "You are right, we don't.") "Our coal miners, and coal railroads controll-You want another thing for your ing such mines, now have an 'object less on' of advancement, you want the countheir own to investigate.

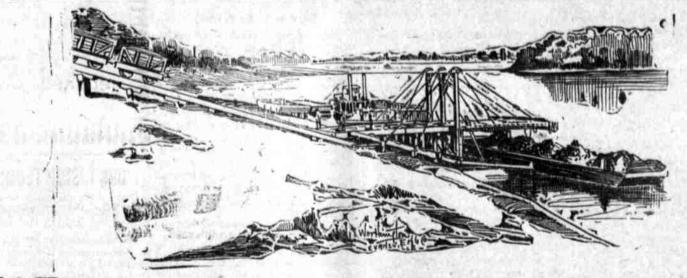
try to be prosperous. Railroads "China can deliver coal in this country, sell are prosperous then when the for gold, and pay all their expenses and costs of country is prosperous; railroads are mining in silver. always in embarrassment when the

"The difference in the values of the two bulbusiness of the country is depressed. lions gives these Ch inese shippers a clear bounty You will have nothing to haul un- of 100 per cent in addition to the profit of lower less somebody wants the products wages in China, and lower costs in production, that somebody else makes along less duties in this country and nominal freights in your line, and the more products sailing vessels."

you carry the steadier will be your "From the above it would appear that our free employment, and the better your silver friends would have our gold standard abolished because free silver would enable us to comwages. (Continued applause.)

Pete with China, but he forgets to state that the miners and other laborers of China receive copgerous employment. I never step per pennies for a day's wages where our workingoff a railroad train after either a men receive dollars. We will not say that the long or a short journey that I do at the same poor rate of wages as the workmen not feel like making personal acknowledgment to every railroad Everybody knows that Chinese labor is the pooremploye for his care for the safety est paid labor in the world and it was because of the passengers. (Applause.) I they were cheap laborers that they were excluded never step off a railroad train that free silver, cheap labor country. The working-I do not feel like going to the en- man of the anthracite region of Pennsylvania gineer and taking off my hat to would not relish the results of competition with him. (Applause and cries of, China on a free-silver basis. Better far to let "Good.") I am glad to meet and Chinese coal come into our Pacific ports without greet you today. You have not come to do me honor personally, worth but 50 cents. The coal miners of America you have come to do honor to the bave not yet got down to a rice diet with or withcause for which by the partiality of out salt and they will not vote for that kind of a a great political party, I for the daily bill of fare in their dinner pails this year." moment stand. You are interested buttered and from present indications it is genin the succession of the principles erally believed they do.

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PITHY PARAGRAPHS.

A Republican gain of 391/2 per cent in Arkansas indicates that the Popocrats are making onexpected beadway-down hill.

North, East, South and West The government that forces its people to live a lie and swear that 50 cents are 100 cents in every business transaction, is not a government for the people who cannot afford to act upon such a falsehood. Seeking homes on the line of this

road w receive special low rates. JohnC. Noel shipped to a Baltimore firm recently 103 fat cattle that are the finest that ever left Franklin county, Ky. Their average weight was 1,826 pounds, and they are to be taken direct to Liverpool, England. Mr. Noel received \$4.37% per hundred for these enormous beeves.

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While sacrifice prices for coal would result in benefit to a large number of good peoplo, it is equally true that a corresponding number of equally deserving people would suffer in consequence including those who are employed in and about the mines, so it is concluded that it is not well that coal should be sold for less than cost at any time, the interests of all being considered.

The practice of washing the small coal and dust and converting them into coke is gradually spreading, especially in the South. While this is necessarily limited to the coking coals, and therefore cannot be applied at a great many mines it can be greatly extended. In this connection also it might be suggested that the use of the coke could'be increased. It is, we believe, pos sible to create markets for coke, if it can be furnished in sufficient quantities and at moderate prices, as a steam fuel as well as for metallurgical purposes, and as a household fuel also, especially in those sections of the country where it will not come into active competition with anthra

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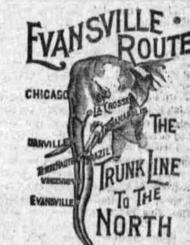
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[WHIEDEN GRAHAM.]

good. I believe it is the mission What is money? Something of the government of this country made out of nothing by the Govo take care of the industrial peo-

ple of the country; I believe that Is there any limit to the amount it is the business of the country of money which Government can to make everything that we can make? Only the capacity of the

printing presses of the country. our people consume. (Applause What kind of money is the best? and cries of "Good.") I believe That which has the least value. it is the business of the country to What does "cheap money" protect every citizen in his employ-

mean? Money that will buy very ment from the cheap products made little wealth. by the cheaper labor of other lands. Why are some people poor? Be-(Cries of "Good," and "That's the cause the money they get in ex-

stuff.") I believe that the way to change for their products or their have prosperity in the United labor will buy a large amount of States is to encourage, the American workshop and uphold Ameri- goods. How can the poor all be made can labor. (Tremendous applause.)

labor and sustain the American of silver "one dollar" and thus decreasing the purchasing power of workshop, you have given trade and traffic to these great railroad money. What is a capitalist? A wicked companies, the arteries of comsinner who has worked hard and

merce, which, in turn, give steady saved up a little property. employment to the railroad em-What is a patriot? A man who ployes of the country. (Cries of "That's right.) I thank you heart-

wants to get hold of it by law. men who have worked and the men pecially in the West, competition who nave not.

may be said to have increased the What is the golden rule of the silverites? Do to others as they would not do you.

ing more and more difficult to sell run-of-mine coal, and to command customers deliveries must be made of clean lump and sized coal. The necessary screening and preparation, of course, involves the maktrol Congress.

ing of greater proportions of dust and culm, which must either be nsed in or about the mines, or go to the waste heaps. The margin of profit in coal mining has been silver by degrees.

for several years very small, and the culm pile may very easily represent the difference between a dollars and doesn't want to be dark days. This Congress would balance on the right or the wrong paid in dollars worth fifty cents.

side of the mine operator's ledger. One conclusion arrived at by the farmers? By causing the with. the strength given to our armies light of past experience is worth a drawal of all loans, paralysis of by foreign capitalists; and now to hundred visionary guesses. If the industry, stagnation of commerce, return their aid by base treachery coinage of 1023 tons of silver per and idleness of millions of workers is to deserve an infamy as deep as annum for 16 years reduced the who now buy farm products.

value of silver from \$1.152 per How will the 16 to 1 scheme ben- woe to those men, bull-headed, ounce to 65 cents, what nonsense efit the working classes? By mak. without eyes, whe are attempting to assert that unlimited coinage ing them pay twice as much to undermine the integrity of the for everything they buy, while giv. nation."

ing them little or no increase in wages. It will also confiscate half

of their savings bank deposits. What is a silver mine-owner? A good, kind, unselfish citizen, who doesn't want higher prices for silver, so that he will get rich, but simply because he loves his fellow-

Does his love for the workers ead him to pay more than market rates for labor? Not much. Business and sentiment are two different things. Besides he doesn't

What is a sound currency? Dollars with 50 cents' worth of silver ver and 50 cents' worth of fiat, or paper dollars all fiat.

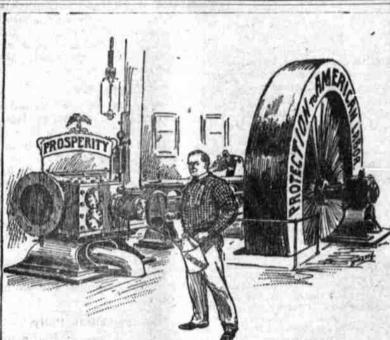
What is the chief duty of a good citizen? To hate everybody who is industrious and thrifty, and to meekly swallow all the nostrums of the cheap money office-seekers.

How can the people be made prosperous? By setting class against class; discouraging the investment of capital; contracting rich? By stamping 50 cents worth the currency by ruining employers, driving out gold, and overthrowing our sound financial system.

Beecher on the Gold Standard.

In his Brooklyn, N. Y. speech, Mr. Bryan told his auditors that covets his neighbor's property and he had no doubt that if Henry Ward Beecher were alive he would What does "repudiation mean? be found battling for free-coinage It is a simple scheme for readjust- of silver at the old ratio. In oring the inequalities between the der to disabuse Mr. Bryan's mind, we quote what Beecher said on the subject in 1877:

"Whoever tampers with established standards, tampers with the What are we to understand by very marrow and vitality of public 'honesty" and good faith between faith. As now, by facility of intermen? That creditors are to be course, all the world is one open cheated out of one half of their market, the need of one and the property whenever the debtors con- same standard of money, uniform, universal and unalterable, becomes Why not benefit debtors still imperious. Gold is the world's more by repudiating all the claims standard. Gold is the universal of creditors? That will come later. measure of value, In the court The public must be educated into of the commercial world's conscience we shall be convicted of What is a creditor? A fiend in endeavoring to cheat men who human shape who loaned 100-cent have come to our rescue in the not have existed, nor any Govern-How will free silver help the ment of the United States, but for the lowest depths of hell. But Endeavor Sunday. The officers for



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Our Colored Citizens.

alming to this column should be addressed to GEO. ALEXANDER, Earlington, Ky.

Dem Milions Dey ain no Chloe or Lucy Kin meak mah heart to t'rob

Laik de watermillion juley. An de co'n upon de cob When watermillion's lyen, De bob'd wish fence widin,

Der's jes' no use a tryen. Cahn'telope wid him. Co'n mah be in the tassel, An possum on de fiab,

Scuse me. I cabn't rassel Wid de bobs dats on de wish De silber men done hollab,

We'll soon hab millions free, But I 'spishun pary dollah Cah'ntelope wid me De wish would be around dem

Till we'uns done de woak, Same labah fo' de old pay An' twice de price fo' poak. Protracted meeting was begun at the

M. E. Zion church, last Tuesday. Quite a number of people from St. Char-les attended the speaking here last Saturday and Mrs. Griffin's residence by Rev. T. H. Quite a number of people from St. Char-

Mrs. Lambreth spant a few days here Mrs. Ray and Miss Paralee have been

Prof. C. W. Merriweather spent Sunday Prof. G. W. Lane filled the pulpit at the Quite a crowd attended the Christian

Mrs. Fox, of Newstead, has been visit-

ensuing year were installed:

the blood of your father and of mine. We expect you to achieve in November a vic-"Eight millions of colored people look upon you as the star of hope of their race and of this country. As in the days of slavery, we kept our eyes on the star in the north, so this year we will keep our -San Francisco Chroniele. eyes on you till you are in the presidential

Rev. John Bailey was at Caskey Sunday. The following is the program for the next meeting of the Reading Club: Opening Address, Ed Holland; Song, the Club; Solo, Lula Kirk; Select Reading, Bertha Offatt; Essay, Mary Kener; Duett, Joe Faulkner and Lizzie Rhodman; Debate: esolved that Columbus is entitled to more honor for discovering America than Wash-

Song, God be with you till me meet again, MORTONS GAP.

ington for defending it; Affirmative, Wm

Killebrew, Negativef Herbert Garrett.

Some church members who found excuses for not attending the revival with the

bell rings for God's services. third Sunday to the Quarterly Rally? Rev. I. W. Selectman will preach two able sermons that day.

Prof. G. W. Lane is attending the county Institute this week.

The revival closed last Thursday night, which was conducted by Rev. T. H. Merriweather at the Methodist Church. The meeting resulted in seven additions to the Next Sunday the baptizing will

As a preacher, Rev. H. H. Carter made

among our good people. I feel grateful to my many Baptist friends for the part they took in the fur-therance of the revival and the cause of

T. H. MERRIWEATHER.

AFRO-AMERICAN DELEGATION AT CANTON. Monday afternoon of last week several hundred ministers and delegates, who had been attending the annual conference of the North Ohio District of the Afro-Amer ican Episcopal Church, went from Cleve land to Canton to visit Major McKinley The meeting was an enthudastic one

are as much out of place as the solution of a problem of Euclid by poling a ward caucus."

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their early struggles for liberty. We come to you, sir, because you represented the cardinal principles of the Republican par-

principles for which you and your comrades struggled in the sixties. We believe you to be the true successor of the emancipater of our race, that martyr to constitu-

tion and liberty, the beloved railsplitter you as the representative of the party of Chase, of Wade, of Gideen, and of Great Banker, men who fought for the preservation of our dearly purchased country, purchased by

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Major McKinley spoke feelingly of the great development of the race since their emancipation, and of the pleasure the visit

Bishop Arnett said in substance: "We

half until we have achieved such a victory

Mr. Dingley, Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee and the leader of the House, in his speech at the closing hours of the late session said:

"It is unfortunate that monetary

questions should ever be the football of partisan politics or the objects of passion and prejudice, for they are so purely scientific and headache, backache, footache and toogue- exact, so completely controlled by ache put them in swaddling clothes and irrevocable natural laws deterlaid them in a manger circus day, until the mined by the experience of ages that any attempt to settle them by Who is going to White Plains on the appeals to passion and prejudice

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